1 2 3 4 5 6 7 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 9 JAMES E. SMITH, No. C 11-0121 LHK (PR) 10 Plaintiff, ORDER OF DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE 11 WARDEN A. HEDGEPATH, et al., 12 13 Defendants. 14 On January 10, 2011, Plaintiff, proceeding pro se, filed a civil rights complaint pursuant 15 to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The same day, the Clerk notified Plaintiff that he had not paid the filing fee 16 nor had he filed an application to proceed in forma pauperis ("IFP"). That notification was 17 returned to the Court with the notation that it was undeliverable. The Clerk re-sent its 18 notification on March 31, 2011. Along with the deficiency notice, Plaintiff was provided with a 19 new IFP application and instructions for completing it. Plaintiff was further cautioned that his 20 failure to either file a completed IFP application or pay the filing fee within thirty days would 21 result in the dismissal of this action. To date, Plaintiff has not communicated with the Court. 22 Accordingly, the instant action is DISMISSED without prejudice to Plaintiff filing a new action 23 in which he either pays the filing fee or files a completed IFP application. The Clerk shall enter 24 judgment and close the file. 25 IT IS SO ORDERED. 26 Dated: <u>5/12/11</u> 27 District Judge 28

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